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SUBJ: SECURITY IMPROVEMENTS AT AMBASSADOR'S
RESIDENCE PROPERTY 06512

REF: DEPT'S OM OF AUG. 8, 1973 AND 6 FAM 733

1. EMBASSY FORWARDING BY AIR POUCH PLANS AND ESTIMATED COST OF SECURITY IMPROVEMENTS TO PROPERTY 06512. THESE IMPROVEMENTS CONSIST OF (A) CONSTRUCTION OF A PERIMETER WALL. PRESENTLY 60 PERCENT OF THE PROPERTY IS UNPROTECTED AND THE ONLY BARRIER THAT EXISTS ALONG THE NW SIDE OF THE RESIDENCE ARE TREES AND BUSHES WITH FREQUENT GAPS BETWEEN THEM. (2) GRILLING OF WINDOWS AND DOORS ON ALL SIDES OF THE RESIDENCE AND GRILLING OF OPEN SPACE ABOVE INNER COURT. (3) INSTALLING METAL DOOR LEADING TO MASTER BEDROOM SUITE, GRILLING OF WINDOWS AND DOORS OF MASTER BEDROOM TO MAKE THE SUITE A SECURE AREA. THE BACKUP EMERGENCY SSB AND RELATED COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT WILL BE PLACED IN THIS AREA ONCE THE WORK IS COMPLETED. THE TOTAL ESTIMATED COST IS 40,783 DLRS AT THE EXCHANGE RATE OF 213 CFA TO ONE DLR, BROKEN DOWN AS FOLLOWS:

A. CONSTRUCTION OF WALL	25,637 DLRS
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B. GRILL WORK	12,531
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C. CONVERSION OF MB TO SAFE ROOM	2,515
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THE ABOVE SECURITY IMPROVEMENTS WERE STRONGLY RECOMMENDED BY THE REGIONAL SECURITY OFFICER, AND ARE IN KEEPING WITH THE DEPARTMENT'S PROGRAM OF IMPROVED SECURITY FOR US FACILITIES ABROAD. THESE IMPROVEMENTS WILL BE SUPPLEMENTED BY ALARM SYSTEMS WHICH WILL BE A SEPARATE SY ITEM.

2. AN EARLY REPLY AUTHORIZING FUNDS FOR ABOVE WOULD BE APPRECIATED.
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